

MINISTERS - ALL MEMBERS OF THE CONGREGATION

PASTORAL & OFFICE STAFF

Pastor.....Joel Gibbel, pastor@yorkfirst.org

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ASSISTING IN WORSHIP

Music Director.....Rebecca Wolf

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Worship Leader.....Pastor Joel Gibbel

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Ushers.....**Leader – Steve Hoover**, Darrell Gipe

.....Melanie Miller, Sheldon Markel

Worship Center Team.....Judy Yingling, Bev Raney

.....Sheldon & Doris Markel

Today's Greeters..... Leonard & Helen Stoner

Next Week's Greeters.....Jeanette Brickner

Nursery Attendants.....Bri Herbst, Brittney Beckwith

DEACONS are available and their responsibilities include assisting the pastor with the care of the congregation. If you have a need that a deacon may help you with, please contact your deacon or contact the church office or Pastor Joel.

Please see one of our ushers at the entrance to the sanctuary if you need LARGE PRINT bulletins or hymnals. Hearing Assistance Devices are available from the A/V booth in the back of the sanctuary.

Activity bags for children to use during worship are available as you enter the sanctuary. Nursery care is available and the “worship nursery” in the rear of the sanctuary is open for use anytime.

The church issues a weekly e-newsletter each Friday. To subscribe, please email secretary@yorkfirst.org

Worship attendance last Sunday: 85

You may use this QR code
to access our church's online giving



WELCOME TO WORSHIP

“Living God’s Love”

Preacher: Tim McElwee

Viviendo el amor de Dios
Viv Lanmou Bondye A
Rayuwan Kaunar Allah
Living God’s Love

----- Ephesians 5:1-2 -----

Languages: Spanish, Creole, Hausa, English

July 9, 2023



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FIRST CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

*“To become a community of committed Christians
who Love God, Share Christ, and Serve the World”*

10:30 AM

Tuesday Evening, July 4

July 9, 2023

Gathering Music

Welcome

Prelude *Holy Spirit, Come With Power* Music attributed to
B.F. White, 1844.
Arranged by Kyle Remnant

*Welcome

English Leader: We come to worship God.
Spanish Leader: We come to worship God (in Spanish)
Hausa Leader: We come to worship God (in Hausa)
Creole Leader: We come to worship God (in Creole)

All: We come to worship God.

English Leader: We are living God's love.
Spanish Leader: We are living God's love (in Spanish)
Hausa Leader: We are living God's love (in Hausa)
Creole Leader: We are living God's love (in Creole)

All: We are living God's love!

***Song** *Let's Walk Together* Insert

*Invocation (from the Iona Community)

Leader: Creator of the world, eternal God,

All: We have come from many places for a little while.

Leader: Redeemer of humanity, God-with-us,

All: We have come with all our differences, seeking common ground.

Leader: Spirit of unity, go-between God,

All: We have come on journeys of our own, to a place where journeys meet.

Leader: So here, in this shelter house, let us take time together.

For when paths cross and pilgrims gather, there is much to share
and celebrate

All: In your name, three-in-one god, pattern of community. Amen.

Theme Song *Living God's Love*
We are living God's love
Viviendo el amor de Dios
Rayuwan Kaunar Allah
Viv Lanmour Bondye A

Prayer of Illumination

Theme Song *We Are Living God's Love*

Scripture Reading John 13:34-35

Theme Song *Viviendo el amor de Dios*

Scripture Reading Ephesians 5:1-2

Theme Song *Rayuwan Kaunar Allah*

Scripture Reading John 4:7-12

Theme Song *Viv Lanmour Bondye A*

Sermon Living God's Love

Theme song *We Are Living God's Love, Verses 1-4*

Offering

Intercessory/Offertory Prayer

Offertory Music *Great is Thy Faithfulness* William Runyan
How Great Thou Art Stuart Hine
Blessed Assurance Phoebe Palmer Knapp
Revive Us Again John Husband
all arr. by Mark Hayes

***Closing Hymn** *For the Healing of the Nations* #367

*Benediction

***Postlude** *For the Healing of the Nations* Henry T. Smart

**Please stand as you are able*

This Week at a Glance:

Tues 7/11 Leadership Team – Rm 154
Fri 7/14 8:30 am Soup Kitchen
(Casseroles due at church by 8:30)
Sun 7/16 9:00 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship Service – Sanctuary